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10. [] In response to his call, I picked up a package of material from Jack Norpel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, for [] OS.
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11. [] In response to his very strong personal request, I delivered to Representative William Bray (R., Ind.) a copy of the China Atlas.
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12. [] Met with Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, in response to his request and loaned him copies of the transcript of the House and Senate hearings on the adjustment of the ceiling for CIARDS retirees. Preston told me that Chairman Mahon is interested in the details of the numbers of personnel involved in the Agency reduction and in the reports concerning active duty military personnel moving into policy positions in the Agency. A room for the meeting has not been scheduled as yet. The Chairman has requested, however, that a reporter be present and a transcript be made of the meeting.
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13. [] John Goldsmith, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, called to alert us that Senator Symington is objecting to the deletion from the 5 April hearing on S. 1494 the question and answer concerning B-52 bombing in Laos. Based upon Mr. Maury's advice and in a subsequent conversation with Kathy Nelson, in the Senator's office, we deferred to the Senator's wishes. In response to her question on the reasons for deleting the Director's response on the Forty Committee, I told her it was because to our knowledge the name of the committee had never been officially confirmed, and she had no problem with this position. Nelson said that in the case of this transcript and others in which the Agency was involved she found our position to be the most reasonable of all Executive Branch agencies she deals with.

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